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The Castellan

ST. MARY'S SEMINARY JUNIOR COLLEGE

ST. MARY'S CITY, MARYLAND

1959

To the Staff:

We, the editors of the 1959 CASTELLAN, would like to give our thanks to those who have helped to produce our yearbook. Although we have encountered many difficulties, it is through your hard work and effort that this yearbook was made possible.

Good luck and best wishes for a great future from your editors,

\$ue Cole
&
Oogie Wetherill

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TO THE GRADUATES OF 1959

It has long been our belief at St. Mary's that our students are not preparing for living but rather that they are already very much a part of life. We have sought first to build a truly stimulating environment and then we have encouraged you to seek as needed the academic and personal guidance provided within this educational community.

Let us hope that your experiences here, the decisions made in encountering them, and your subsequent evaluation of the rightness or wrongness of your decisions may have helped you to develop a firm and understanding basis for meeting future problems in living.

Throughout your lifetime may each of you have in some reasonable degree "the Serenity to accept the things you cannot change, the Courage to change the things you can and the Wisdom to know the difference.

June, 1959

MAY RUSSELL

Dedicated

To our Parents, whose interests have been in the improvement of our lives, whose love and encouragement have been inspirational, and whose never ending sacrifices have made possible these years at St. Mary's, we respectively dedicate the Castellan of 1959.





In Memoriam

We offer this tribute as a lasting testimonial to the reverence and affection in which we hold the memory of Miss Rotha.



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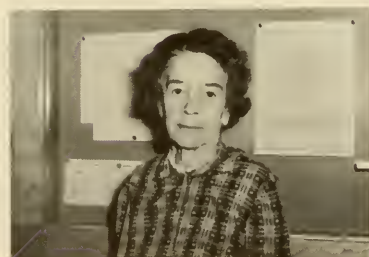
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Secretary



Mrs. E. Dielhman
Bursar



Miss G. Schieble
Secretary



Mrs. M. Yearick
Asst. Bursar



Mrs. J. Redmond
Secretary

Seniors



ELLEN ANN LEBEL

2 years

Elena

"Beauty is truth, truth beauty, that is all ye know on earth, and all ye need to know."

Public Relations Committee 1; Canterbury Club 1; Tennis Team 1; May Day 1; Intramurals 1,2; Art Club 2; Assembly Committee 1; Co-Chairman 2; Dance Committee 1,2; Social Committee 2; Senior Class President 2.



ROBERT HENRY BRUBACKER

2 years

"Life's a pleasant institution, let's take it as it comes."

Day Hop Association 1,2.

Bob



ANNE PERRY CHAPPELL

2 years

Perry

"Always ever to excel in any manner to be of surpassing excellence."

King's Daughters 1,2; Choir 1,2; Operetta 1; Business Club 1; Intramurals 1,2; Student Council 1;

May Day 1; Assembly Committee 1; Archery Club 1.



SUZANNE MALCOLM COLE

2 years

Sue

"She with a merry heart, leads a good life."

Castellan Editor 2; Castellan Layout Editor 1; May Day 1; Operetta 1; A.A. 1,2; Samadra 1; Intramurals 1,2; Volleyball Captain; Choir 1,2; Public Relations 1,2.





ANN VINCENT DAVIS

2 years

Annie

"I know how busy you are in your library, which is your paradise."

Library Committee Chairman 1; Pageant 1,2; Layout Editor-Castellan 1,2; Volleyball Intramurals 1, 2; Spanish Award 1; Archery Manager 2; A.A. 2.



NORMA LU DAUGHERTY

2 years

Missy

"Silence is the eloquence of discretion."

King's Daughters 1,2; Operetta 1; May Day 1; Intramurals; Choir 1,2; Business Club 1.



MAURICE ERLY

2 years

Maurice

"To study hard, think quietly and act frankly, this is my sympathy."

Signal News 1; "Our Town" 1; Honor Court 2; Day Hop Organization 1,2; Tennis Team 2; Basketball 2.

JEAN GEHRINGER

1 year
"Patience and gentleness are power."
Day Hop Organization 1.

Jean



ELIZABETH LATHAM GREEN

2 years
"Here is a friendship to value."
Hockey Club 1; Intramurals 1,2; Health and Safety
Committee 1; Class Treasurer 2; Orientation Com-
mittee 2; A.A. 1,2; Castellan-Activities Co-Editor
1; Plant Committee Chairman 2; F.N.A. 1; May Day
1,2.

Betsy



RICHARD D'ALTON GREIG

2 years
"Nothing is achieved before it is thoroughly
attempted."
Tennis Team 1,2; Day Hop Organization 1,2; Treas-
urer 2; Social Committee 2.

Dick





DAVID A. HAMILTON

2 years

Uncle Dave

"Kind words are of great value, are very gratifying, cost little."

Tennis Team 1,2; By Laws Committee 1; Day Hop Organization 1,2; Asst. Director of Athletics 2.



DAVID GAIL HARDMAN

2 years

Dave

"Never change when love has found its home."

Basketball 1,2; "Our Town" 1; Assembly Committee 1,2; Day Hop Organization 1,2.



DIANE ELIZABETH LAURENCE

2 years

Dinny

"A loving heart is the beginning of all knowledge."

King's Daughters 1; F.T.A. 2; Assembly Committee

2; Class V. Pres. 2; Castellan 2; Intramurals 1,2;

Samadra 2; May Day 1,2; Choir 1,2; Hockey Club 1;

Orientation Committee 2.

KATHERINE ROBERTA LORE

2 years

Kathy

"We may be as good as we please, if we please to be good."

Basketball Varsity 1; Junior Class Vice President 1; Hockey Club 1; A.A. 1,2; Vice President A.A. 2; Tennis 1,2; Signal News 1; Castellan Sports Editor 2; May Day 1; "Our Town" 1.



BARBARA EILEEN LYON

2 years

Barb

"Some say she's bashful, others doubt it."

Choir 1,2; Operetta 1; King's Daughters Committee 1; Signal News 2; Business Club 1; Intramurals 2; Castellan 2; A.A. 2; Assembly Committee 2.

MICHAEL W. MATTINGLY

2 years

Mike

"The ability to see a chance, snatch it."

Day Hop Organization 1,2; Executive Committee 1.





ELIZABETH J. OSBORN

2 years B.J.
 "Good company and of a very ready and pleasant
 wit . . ."
 Intramurals 1,2; Business Club 1; Walking Award 1;
 Camping and Hiking Manager 2; A.A. 2; Operetta
 1; Choir 1.



MATTHEW A. PARKS

2 years Skip
 "Not that I love work less, but I love fun more . . ."
 Tennis Team 1; Basketball 2; Day Hop Association
 1,2; Archery Club 2.



DOROTHY MARGARET PAYNE

2 years Dottie
 "A little consideration , a little thought for others
 makes all the difference."
 Intramurals 2; Hockey Club 1; Basketball 1,2; Health
 Committee 1; Signal News-Sports Editor 1; May
 Day 1; Pageant Committee 2; A.A. 2; F.T.A. Vice
 President 2.

MARION RUTH PILKERTON

2 years

Marion

"As merry as the day is long."

Business Club 1; Intramurals 1,2; Choir 1,2; Home Ec. Club 1; May Day 1; Plant Committee 2; A.A. 2; Signal News 2.



PHYLLIS ROSE SMITH

2 years

Phyl

"A beautiful voice is a joy to the world."

Choir 1,2; Madrigal Singers 2; Business Club 1; Intramurals 1,2; Senior Class Secretary 2.

BEVERLY STANARD

2 years

Bev

"Patience is the best remedy for every trouble."

Class President 1; S.G.A. 1; Pageant Committee 1; Samadra Club 1,2; Intramurals 1,2; May Day 1; Orientation Committee 2; Social Committee 2; F.T.A. Club 2.





CHARILLA ANN THOMAS

2 years

Punch

"Her independence shall foster a good life."

Intramurals 1,2; Hockey Club 1; Artist and Lecture 1; A.A. 1,2; Orientation Committee 2; Honor Court Chairman 2; A.A. 2; Public Relations Committee, Chairman 2.



CAROL RUSSELL WARD

2 years

Carol

"Little creature formed of joy and mirth."

Intramurals 1,2; Substitute Cheerleader 2; Business Club; Public Relations Committee 2.



MARY CATHERINE WILLIS

2 years

Mary

"If music be the food of love, play on . . ."

Intramurals 1,2; Orientation Committee 2; Athletic Association 2; Sextet 2; Public Relations 1; Honor Court 2; S.G.A. President 2; Operetta 1; Choir 1,2.



ROBERTA LEA WOOD

2 years

Flower

"Think all you speak, but speak not all you think."
Day Hop Organization President 2; Plant Commit-
tee 2.

Juniors



Janice Hearn
President



Mary Grace
Bean



Richard
Briell



Patricia
Brady



Sarah
Buckler



Charlotte
Cannon



Patricia
Carroll



Dwight
Chackles



Mary
Clark



Meggy
Cockey



Patricia
Conner



Frances
Davis



Alicia
Dewees



Margaret
Fite



Janice
Gaskill



Suzanne
Gibbs



Margaret
Gilpin



Faith
Hall



Ernest
Harlow



Robert
Harr



Richard
Hill



Ann
Himmelheber



Patricia
Holpp



Mildred
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Michael
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Jones



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Mary Ann
MacNeal



Sally
Mason



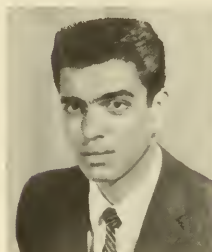
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McNey



Kathryn
Moffett



John
Moraski



Loretta
Palmer



Julia
Peterson



Dallas
Plugge



Pamela
Richardson



Kenneth
Rigby



Harvin
Risher



Nancy
Robbins



Libby
Shower



Jane
Shriver



John
Thompson



Sharon
Thompson



Elizabeth
Watson



Terrence
Wise



Marion
Zukerman



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Bev Stanard and Betty Baker



MOST ATHLETIC
Dot Payne and Peggy Ward

SUPER



BEST ALL-ROUND
Perry Chappell and Oogie Wetherill

ATIVES



MOST TALENTED
Mary Willis and Karen Gran



BEST PERSONALITY
Sue Cole and Ooggie Wetherill



MOST POPULAR
Elena LeBel and Ooggie Wetherill

Sophomores



ELIZABETH BRYAN BAKER

2 years

Betty

"She serves well and deserves much praise."
 Vice-president of class 1; French Club 1; Canterbury Club 1; Business Manager of "Signal News" 1; S.G.A. 1; King's Daughters Committee 1; Secretary of Samadra 1--Treasurer 2; President of class 2; Assistant Business Manager of "Signal News" 2; Assembly Committee 2; Intramurals 2.



ALEDA MARIE LOUISE BUNCH

2 years Aleda
 "Fate cannot rob you of deserved applause."
 French Club 1; Art Club 1,2; Samadra 1,2; Signal
 News 1,2; F.N.A. 2; A.A. 1,2.



SARA W. CARBIA

2 years Sarita
 "Every man likes to flirt with a pretty girl and every
 pretty girl likes to be flirted with."
 F.N.A. 2; Social committee 2.



JOAN CAROLE CARVER

2 years Joanie
 "To be a strong hand in the dark to another in a
 time of need."
 Social Committee 1; F.T.A. 1,2; Canterbury Club
 1; Choir 1,2; Intramurals 2; Assembly Committee
 2; F.N.A. Secretary 2; Samadra 2; Signal News 1--
 Editor 2.





SUSAN ADREAN CLAGGETT

2 years Susie
 "It's nice to be natural if you're naturally nice."
 Choir 1; Freshman Class Treasurer 1; Officials Club
 1; Health and Safety 1; A.A. Treasurer 2; Sopho-
 more Class Treasurer 2; F.N.A. Vice-president 2;
 Intramurals 2; Plant Committee 2.



DIANNA DUNHAM

1 year
 "Woman is man's confusion."
 Choir 1; F.T.A. 1.

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KAREN CHRISTINE GRAN

1 year Karen
 "A good deed rings clearly as a bell."
 Choir 1; French Club Treasurer 1; Samadra 1;
 Home Ec. Club 1.

ENID ELLIS GRIFFIN

2 years

Willie

"Her mind is her kingdom."

Freshman Class President 1; Choir 1; French Club
1--President 2; Art Club 1,2; A.A. 1,2; Intramurals
1,2; S.G.A. 2; Sophomore Class Vice-president 2;
A.A. Board 2; Debate Club 2; Social Committee 2.



EVELYN ADELE HEDGES

1 1/2 years

Kye

"Mind cannot follow it, nor words express her in-
finite sweetness."

Operetta 1; May Day 1; Art Club 1; Choir 1,2; In-
tramurals 1,2; F.N.A. 2; Samadra 2; Sophomore
Class Secretary 2; Castellan 2.



MELINDA JUNE HOPTON

1 year

Mindy

"To study hard, think quietly, and act sweetly."

Honor Court 1; Intramurals 1; A.A. 1; Basketball
Varsity 1; F.N.A. 1; Public Relations Committee 1;
Castellan 1.





JUDITH HOUSER

1 year

Homer

"There is no wisdom like frankness."

Samadra Vice-president 1; A.A. 1; Art Club Secretary 1; Signal News 1.



SUSAN KAY JOHNSON

2 years

Kay

"Grace silently orders her actions and follows her movements."

Choir 1,2; Intramurals 1,2; A.A. Board 1,2; Public Relations 2; F.T.A., French Club, May Court.



PATRICIA ANN LEIGHTON

2 years

Peach

"Her poise is as a sparkling jewel."

Operetta 1; A.A. 1; May Day 1; Samadra 2; Signal News 2; Choir 2; Assembly Committee 2.

CAROLYN MacDERMOTT

1 year

Micki

"We are all born for love; it is the principle of existence."

Samadra 1; Intramurals 1; A.A. 1.



SUZANNE ORME

1 year

Orme

"Self-confidence is the first requisite of greater undertakings."

Samadra 1; A.A. 1; Choir 1; S.G.A. 1; Archery Club 1; Social Committee 1; Signal News 1; Castellan 1.



SANDRA HART OSTEEN

2 years

Sandy

"She who sows courtesy reaps friendships."

Choir 1,2; Honor Court 1; May Day Court 1,2; Intramurals 1,2; French Club 1,2; Operetta 1; Hockey Club 1; Home Ec. Club 1,2; Business Manager Signal News 1; Audio Visual 1; Cheerleading 1,2; Public Relations 2; A.A. Board 2.





JUDITH PEPPER

1 year

Peeper

"Beauty seen is never lost."

Pageant Committee 1; Samadra Club 1; Art Club 1; Intramurals 1; Archery Club 1.



MARY ELLEN RUTBERG

1 year

Rutberg

"My style and my sentiments are my own and purely original."

F.N.A. 1; Samadra 1; Home Ec. Club 1.



CAROL SANDS

1 year

Sands

"She kept the bell of love, and oh, she was gay! She danced a jig. She sang a song that took his heart away."

Home Ec. Club Treasurer 1; A.A. 1; Intramurals 1.

ELIZABETH LOUISE SHORT

1 year Betty
 "Smoothly runs the water where the brook is deep."
 French Club 1; Intramurals 1; A.A. 1.



MARGARET ANN WARD

2 years Peggy
 "No matter what others shall be, she shall always
 be herself."
 F.N.A. Club 1,2; Health and Safety 1; Basketball
 Varsity 1,2; Choir 1; Operetta 1; Intramurals 1,2;
 Dramatic Arts Contest 1; Plant Committee 2;
 Hockey Club 1; A.A. 1,2; A.A. Board 2; Signal
 News 1,2.

GEORGANN CONVERS WETHERILL

1 year Ooggie
 "Her nature is as a glass of champagne."
 Co-editor of Castellan 1; F.T.A. 1; A.A. 1; Choir
 1; Sextet 1; F.N.A. 1; Samadra 1; Assembly Com-
 mittee Chairman 1; Intramurals 1.



Freshmen



Marian Blunt
President



Donna
Doeller



Janice
Endrizzi



Mary
Gardiner



Fay
Hardesty



Priya
Nanayon



Gail
Naylor



Patricia
Ottomeyer



Patricia
Parker



Nancy
Stevens



Frances
Turner



Yvonne
Whittaker



Kathryn
Willis

May Day



THE MAY COURT

LEFT TO RIGHT: K. Willis, S. Claggett, R. Wood, B. Stanard; Apple Blossom Princess, P. Chappel; May Queen, E. LeBel, S. Osteen, M. Cockey.



Mr. Louis Goldstien, Comptroller for the state of Maryland, crowns Perry Chappel Queen of the May.







Clubs and Activities



CHOIR

FIRST ROW--Left to Right--S. Thompson, S. Carbia, D. Dunhan, P. Nanayon. SECOND ROW--J. Hearn, J. Gaskill, H. Risher, B. Watson. THIRD ROW--S. Osteen, A. Hedges, K. Johnson, M. Willis, S. Cole, L. Shower. FOURTH ROW--P. Chappell, P. Smith, K. Gran, M. Pinkerton, M. Gilpin, P. Brady. FIFTH ROW--P. Leighton, P. K. Ottomeyer, M. Blunt, M. Daughtery, J. Shriber, C. Cannon, A. Wetherill, P. Richardson. SIXTH ROW--J. Carver, S. Orme, B. Lyon, P. Carroll, M. McNeal, M. Ihlder, S. Mason, A. Dewees.



SIGNAL NEWS

FIRST ROW--Left to Right--B. Watson, G. Blunt, S. Orme, J. Endrizzi, S. Osteen. SECOND ROW--C. Cannon, B. Lyon, N. Stevens, M. E. Rutberg, H. Risher. THIRD ROW--A. Thrift, F. Hall, J. Carver, L. Kiefer, M. A. McNeal, B. Baker.



CASTELLÁN

FIRST ROW--Left to Right--A. Hedges, N. Stevers, P. Richardson, S. Orme. SECOND ROW--S. Cole, O. Wetherill, M. Hopton, B. Lyon, G. Blunt, D. Lawrence.



HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

C. Sands, S. Buckler, S. Osteen,
M. A. McNeal, H. Risher.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

FIRST ROW: K. Moffett, B.
Watson, D. Dunham, J. Carver.
SECOND ROW: L. Jones, B.
Stanard, D. Payne, D. Lawrence,
O. Wetherill. THIRD ROW:
M. Dunn, B. Baker, S. Buckler,
F. Turner, F. Hardesty, D.
Plugge.



FUTURE NURSES OF AMERICA

FIRST ROW: P. Ward, S. Car-
bia, S. Buckler. SECOND
ROW: A. Bunch, M. Cockey,
S. Claggett, D. Kennon, H.
Risher. THIRD ROW: L. Kie-
fer, J. Carver, D. Doeller.

SAMADRA

FIRST ROW: M. E. Rutberg, G. Naylor, G. Blunt, N. Stevens, J. Peper, A. Hedges. SECOND ROW: C. Cannon, B. Baker, J. Houser, D. Kennon, S. Osteen, S. Orme. THIRD ROW: D. Lawrence, P. Leighton, J. Carver, F. Hall, A. Bunch, J. En-drizzi.



FRENCH CLUB

FIRST ROW: P. Parker, J. En-drizzi, G. Naylor, M. Zuckerman, P. Leighton. SECOND ROW: E. Griffin, K. Gran, A. Bunch, B. Short, M. Ihlder, F. Turner, F. Hardesty.



ART CLUB

FIRST ROW: M. A. McNeal, H. Risher, C. Cannon, E. LeBel. SECOND ROW: E. Griffin, J. Houser, L. Shower, J. Peper, K. Willis, P. Parker.



Student Government



HONOR COURT

J. Peterson, J. Endrizzi, P. Thomas, M. Willis, J. Thompson.



STUDENT GOVERNMENT

BACK ROW--K. Moffet, B. Stanard, M. Willis, P. Chappell, S. Mason, P. Thomas. FRONT ROW--E. Griffin, S. Orme, N. Stevens.

Day Hop Association



"A really good group."

Sports



BOYS' BASKETBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW: Coach LeVey, F. Himmelheber, D. Hardman, M. Erly. BACK ROW: E. Cole, G. Keith, J. Moraski, J. Holcum, J. Madel, C. Springer.



"Lookie Here--two more points"



"Up in the air junior birdsman!"



Varsity Team

FIRST ROW: B. Watson, K. Willis, M. Gilpin, P. Ward, Y. Whitaker, M. Hopton, D. Payne, L. Jones, S. Gibbs, M. Pilkerton, L. Palmer, A. Hedges. LAST ROW: Capt. J. Shriver, Mgr. S. Mason.

Basketball



All-Stars

FIRST ROW: F. Turner, J. Endrizzi, N. Stevens. LAST ROW: L. Shower, E. LeBel, L. Kiefer, G. Naylor.

Volleyball All-Stars



FIRST ROW: M. Clark, M. Pilkerton, S. Osteen, A. Gooch, L. Palmer. LAST ROW: Y. Whittaker, M. Gilpin, L. Jones, P. Ward, D. Payne.

Volleyball



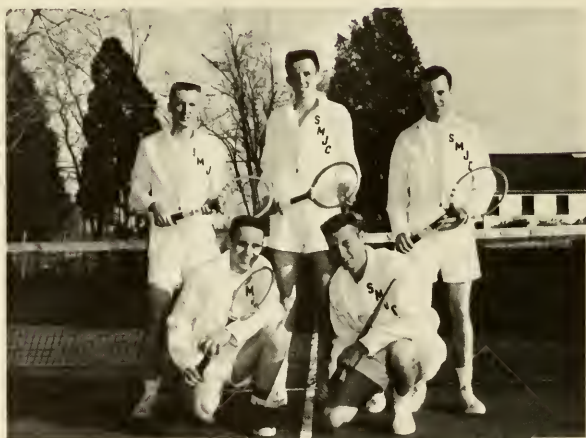
"We have the spirit."



Women's Team

FIRST ROW: M. MacDermott, J. Houser. LAST ROW: Y. Whitaker, S. Gibbs, N. Stevens.

Tennis



Men's Team

FIRST ROW: S. Dean, D. Hamilton. LAST ROW: D. Chackles, R. Brubacher, M. Erly.

A. A. Board



FIRST ROW: K. Lore, M. Cockey, J. Hearn, S. Claggett. SECOND ROW: N. Stevens, J. Endrizzi, L. Palmer, S. Osteen, K. Moffett, A. Davis. LAST ROW: S. Gibbs, L. Jones, D. Payne, P. Ward, E. Osborn, K. Johnson.

Athletic Association



The Association

"Are we all here?"



"Are we together?"

The Cheerleaders



LEFT TO RIGHT: S. Osteen, L. Shower, J. Endrizzi, Capt. K. Johnson.



ALMA MATER

On the banks of blue St. Mary's--near Potomac's
strand,
Stands our dear old Alma Mater--best school in the
land!

Built of bricks from the first state house--near the
mulb'ry's shade

Where Lord Calvert with the Indians once a treaty
made.

Like a beacon by the river, stands she grandly hold,
Giving knowledge to her daughters--worth more
than pure gold,

Age and fire cannot destroy her--(She has stood the
test)--

We will always love St. Mary's--she deserves our
best.

We will ever love St. Mary's--Love to praise her
name;

Strive to make our lives add luster to her glorious
fame.

Let your glad song wake the echoes, sing with voices
free--

Hail to Thee, Dear Alma Mater! --Hail, all hail, to
Thee!





THE SENIOR GRADUATES OF 1959



THE SOPHOMORE GRADUATES OF 1959

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

It was on a rainy Monday that our class entered the portals of St. Mary's Seminary Junior College for a wonderful two years. Our first few days flew by with many, many questions to be answered. However, when the old girls arrived, we were lost again--How could we possibly learn all the names? It wasn't long though. Having accomplished the trials and tribulations of 'Rat Week,' we felt that we were well on our way to becoming "Sem-Fems." We elected for our class officers: Beverly Stanard, President; Kathy Lore, Vice-President; Sissy Dawson, Secretary; Dottie DeWitt, Treasurer. Our representatives to Student Government were Bobbie Schmit and Beverly Stanard; and to Honor Court, Ann Howard.

Even though we studied (we had too), we had our fun too. Parties in the Dorm and many Bridge games, and of course, there were quite a few silent trips down to the Dorm Smoker at night.

As Spring arrived we were proud that Elena LeBel won Glamour Magazine's 'Best Dressed Girl On Campus' contest, and Perry Chappell was our representative to the May Court. With the graduation weekend upon us, we finally realized that we were going to be the graduating class for next year. Our class gave a dinner and dance for the graduates--the Seniors and Sophomores of 1958. We left each other for the summer vacation, knowing that some were not returning for the next year.

By the time Sept. rolled around, the Seniors were more than ready for the school year to begin. What they didn't have in numbers, they were only 17 strong, they certainly made up for in quality and in nearly every area of school life, they took the lead. Three of the major officers of the SGA went to Seniors: Mary Willis, President; Beverly Stanard, Vice President; and Perry Chappell, Secretary. Punch Thomas, as Honor Court Chairman, gave real meaning to that pledge; and Kathy Lore, the Vice President of A.A., made all sports twice the fun and the point system half as complicated! Kathy had help though--for instance our AA class representative was Big Dot Payne who practically threw her own heart over the net or in the basket when the big games were played. And "Dead Eye Dick" was surely outdone when Ann Davis became the Archery Manager. Then there was B. J. who just never stopped hiking and camping. Punch and her boating and swimming, and Mary Willis with her walking.

The Senior Class can certainly boast of beauty too. No one could have made a prettier May Queen than our own Perry Chappell with Elena Lebel as the Senior princess. And we know that the Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival was better than ever this year because Bev Stanard was there representing the school.

In fact, the Seniors supported nearly every school activity. When there were dances, the seniors were there. When the Choir performed on tour, the Seniors helped to make it the biggest and most successful one ever held at SMS. At Christmas time our class won the skit contest and we were very proud and pleased that Perry Chappell was "The Spirit of Christmas."

When there was work to be done, the seniors were there. For instance, Sue Cole, our co-editor of the yearbook, has burned the candle many a night; and have you ever seen our All-Stars, Elena LeBell and Dot Payne, come panting back to the dorm after a close game?

Our class was led through the year of 1958-1959 by the class officers: Elena LeBell, President; Diane Lawrence, Vice President; Phyllis Smith, Secretary; and Betey Green, Treasurer. However, we have three girls who will lead the way to the altar to receive their MRS degrees: Phyllis Smith, Carol, and Dot.

All in all, our class has had a wonderful two short years at SMS and are very sad in leaving, but we are all looking forward to coming back. Before we leave, however, we, as a class, want to wish the incoming Senior Class of 1960 the best of luck in everything next year!

Our class had its beginning on a humid, overcast day in September, 1957. After we took our placement tests the orientation committee gave us a royal welcome with the usual P. J. party and picnic. The Fahls sponsored us, and we were the liveliest class in school. In intramurals we were known as the "Mighty Mistakes." We fought hard to win, but we were a small class. There were sixteen of us in all. Two were foreign students: Sara Carbia, from Puerto Rico, and Michia Iszkowski from France. We organized officially into one body when we elected our officers: Enid Griffin, President, Betty Baker, Vice President, Jerry Allen, Secretary, and Susan Claggett, Treasurer. Sandy Osteen was appointed to Honor Court, and Betty Baker was elected to Council.

Time passed quickly and the Freshman Class had its glory duly given when they won the Christmas skit, sold the most Christmas seals, came in second in the Dramatic Arts Contest, and sent two of their best language students, Enid Griffin and Aleda Bunch, to the state-wide French tests. Aleda also had one of the leading roles in the fall play, OUR TOWN. Although we worked hard in school we had our fun too, especially the time our chemistry lab experiment on tooth paste blew up. Peggy Ward and Jerry Allen gained us more fame on the Women's Basketball Varsity. Jerry was also on the Tennis Varsity. Sandy Osteen and Kay Johnson were cheerleaders, and later they were elected to carry on next year's squad. In February Adele Hedges joined our class.

Spring was ushered in with Pageant, May Day and the Prom. Our representative to the May Court was Kay Johnson. Peach Leighton played the starring role in the Choir's operetta, "Girls Will Be Girls." She and Kay also took part in the recital. When election time rolled around we elected Jerry Allen Treasurer of S.G.A. and Susan Claggett Treasurer of the A.A. Board. At the graduation ceremonies Sandy Osteen was awarded the Good Manners Award that is given to one Freshman every year, and Susan Claggett was awarded the American Legion Medal for making outstanding progress in science. We said good-bye to our French classmate, Michia, and we all looked forward to meeting again next year.

Our class met again in September. Then we started into another year by greeting the ten new members of our class and putting our little sisses through the paces of Rat Week. The previously chosen officers began organizing for our busy year. They were Betty Baker, President, Enid Griffin, Vice President, Adele Hedges, Secretary, and Susan Claggett, Treasurer. This year we decided to stay healthy and elect Miss Chance, the school nurse, as our sponsor.

We were well represented on the All-Star Volleyball Team by Sandy Osteen and Peggy Ward. Varsity basketball held the attention of our stars: Adele Hedges, Susan Claggett, Mindy Hopton, and Peggy Ward. Karen Gran worked very hard on the decorations for the school and the Christmas Banquet. Our class helped to present one of the biggest and most successful bazaars ever held at S.M.S. This year our jolly classmate, Ooggie Wetherill, was Santa Claus for the school. Sara danced and Peach play the piano for various entertaining activities throughout the year. When second semester started, our class not only dropped Sociology for Economics but we dropped our English teacher too. Karen was the accompanist for the choir soloists and the octet which Kay and Ooggie took part in. When the Dramatics Department put on its three one-act plays, Adele and Aleda represented our class in "When Shakespeare's Ladies Meet."

Susanne Otme and Enid Griffin were elected from our class to the S.G.A., and Mindy Hopton was appointed to Honor Court.

The editor of the SIGNAL NEWS was Joan Carver, and Ooggie was co-editor for the CASTELLAN. Our representatives to the May Court this year were Susan Claggett and Sandy Osteen. The class superlatives are Karen Gran, most talented, Peggy Ward, most athletic, Betty Baker, most likely to succeed, and Ooggie Wetherill, best personality, most popular, and best all-round.

This year some of us have learned many new things while others have gained from the knowledge of our fellow classmates. Kay and Sandy have taught us poise and manners. Enid, Karen, and Dianna, have learned to appreciate the local boys. Rutberg told us all there is to know about New Jersey. From their midnight parties, Joan, Susan, Adele, Peggy, and Sara Carbia have learned to be gracious hostesses. Peper taught us how to live with bow legs, and Aleda learned to keep a straight face while saying dramatic lines. Peach, Carol, Houser, Orme, and Betty Short know all about the boys from the Base, but Mickie is getting her M.R.S. degree in Navy life. Mindy and Ooggie learned to get into trouble as fast as they got out of it.

But all in all we have had a wonderful time at S.M.S. We would like to give our greatest appreciation and thanks to our teachers, big sisses, parents, and everyone else that helped to make these years so successful and happy.

CLASS WILL

WE, THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1959, BEING OF SOUND MIND AND BODY, DO HEREBY LEAVE THIS, OUR LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT IN THIS FASHION, TO THE MEMBERS OF St. MARY'S SEMINARY JUNIOR COLLEGE WHO WILL FOLLOW US.

- I, ROBERT BRUBACHER, will my height to Ernie Harlow, so that he can be center on the basketball team next year.
- I, PERRY CHAPPELL, will my anatomy cat to Aleda. Please continue the good care. I have always taken care of him.
- I, SUE COLE, will my famous saying, "Hi there; how you," to Mr. Greeson in the hope he can scream it loud enough.
- I, ANN DAVIS, will to Mary Ann MacNeil my knowledge of Lexington Park and the surrounding areas.
- I, NORMA LU DAUGHERTY, will my contact lens to Mary Ellen Rutberg, so that she will be able to see who people are at great distances.
- I, MAURICE ERLY, will my ardent desire for a challenging argument and my ability to remain calm and collected during such a heated and unbiased argument to my dear friend, John Thompson.
- I, JEAN GEHRINGER, will my pass to the Base to all lonesome SMS girls.
- I, BETSY GREEN, leaving for the south, will my southern accent to be adopted.
- I, DICK GREIG, will to Jay Combs my optimistic outlook on life and my attempt to improve as much as possible this already nearly perfect world.
- I, DAVE HAMILTON, will all my world knowledge and patience to all future geography students of SMS.
- I, DAVE HARDMAN, will my "brownie points" to Joe Gough and hope that they are put to better use for him than they were for me.
- I, DIANE LAWRENCE, will all my connections at the Naval Academy to Jan Endrizzi and to anybody else who wants them.
- I, ELENA LEBEL, will my will to stop smoking to anyone who wants to stop smoking.
- I, KATHY LORE, will my walking cane to Miss Simms, in the hope that she can get up the stairs faster to catch all those people making noise.
- I, BARBARA LYON, will my sweater that I never started to Nancy Robbins to finish.
- I, MIKE MATTINGLY, will my ability and skill on the tennis court, which no one had the opportunity to see or realize, to Terry Wise.
- I, B. J. OSBORN, will my naturally curly hair to Aleda Bunch.
- I, SKIP PARKS, will Mary Ann to Ernie Harlow, who would like to know what going steady is like.
- I, DOT PAYNE, will to Julie Peterson my "Michigan Fund" in the hope that she has better luck in spending it.
- I, MARION PILKERTON, will my ability to get along with Mrs. Irby to Faith Hall.
- I, PHYLLIS SMITH, will my calorie book to Lib and Jan (not that they need it.)
- I, BEVERLY STANARD, will all my Salem butts to Betty Watson in the hope that she won't have to "bum" next year.
- I, PUNCH THOMAS, will my ability to stay awake to Pam Richardson in hope that she may get over the habit of sleeping twenty-four hours a day.
- I, CAROL WARD, will my room with its over-heated walls and my desire to rearrange the furniture every month to Mary Clark.
- I, MARY WILLIS, will my crazy haircut to anyone who has nerve enough to wear it.
- I, ROBERTA WOOD, will to the dayhops my ability for trying to make our activities a success.

WITNESSED AND SIGNED BY

CLASS WILL

WE, THE SOPHOMORE CLASS OF 1959, BEING OF UNSOUND MIND AND BODY, DO HEREBY LEAVE THIS, OUR "SO CALLED" LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT, TO THE POOR MEMBERS OF St. MARY'S SEMINARY WHO WILL FOLLOW US.

- I, BETTY BAKER, will the urn to anyone who has the courage to steal it.
- I, ALEDA BUNCH, will my eccleisgistical tendencies to Margaret Fite.
- I, SARA CARBIA, will my pony-tail to Miss Sanders, who wishes she had one.
- I, JOAN CARVER, will "Dick," the turtle, to Kathy Willis.
- I, SUSAN CLAGGETT, will a diary to Donnie Doeller so that she can take notes for later reference.
- I, DIANA DUNHAM, will my height to John Moraski.
- I, KAREN GRAN, will my French book to Betty Short.
- I, ENID GRIFFIN, will my long blond curls to Sue Gibbs.
- I, ADELE HEDGES, will an air-conditioner to Dr. Shirk for our future trips to Washington.
- I, MINDY HOPTON, will a radiator to whoever hasn't enough blankets.
- I, JUDY HOUSER, will my Trig book and slide-rule to John Thompson, in hopes that he makes more progress than I have.
- I, KAY JOHNSON, will my best wishes in cheerleading to Libby and Jan.
- I, PEACH LEIGHTON, will my "music practice hour" to Bill Lain.
- I, MICKEY MacDERMOTT, will all the boys I knew, except Dave, to the "Herbies and Floyds."
- I, SUZANNE ORME, will my personal problems to Mr. Prater.
- I, SANDY OSTEEN, will a bowl of grits to Miss Simms.
- I, JUDY PEPER, will my bow-legs to Pam Richardson.
- I, MARY ELLEN RUTBERG, will my "chawklit sodas" to Gail Naylor.
- I, CAROL SANDS, will the third floor telephone booth to Margaret Gilpin.
- I, BETTY SHORT, will my room to the wasps.
- I, PEGGY WARD, will my secret about Betty Baker to any freshmen who can keep it.
- I, OOGGIE WETHERILL, will my "family tradition at St. Marys" to the school in hopes that they won't have to put-up with any more "Ooggies."

SIGNED BY THE MALADJUSTED CLASS OF '59.

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